

B & H Gas Company

P.S.C. Ky. No.2004-00449

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B & H Gas Company

Of

Harold, Kentucky 41635

Rates, Rules and Regulations For Furnishing Gas

At

Betsy Layne, Stanville, Ivel, Mare Creek, Ivy Creek

**Filed With Public Service Commission
Of Kentucky**

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By: 
Executive Director

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CLASSIFICATION OF SERVICE

Proposed Rates:

Residential

First 2 Mcf(minimum bill)	\$18.7938
Next 8 Mcf	\$ 8.9788
Next 20 Mcf	\$ 8.5611
Next 30 Mcf	\$ 8.3103

A surcharge in the amount of \$.03 will be added to the above rates until the amount owed to Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company has been collected.

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FORM FOR FILING RULES & REGULATIONS

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B & H Gas Company, Inc
Name of Utility

RULES & REGULATIONS

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RULES AND REGULATIONS

GAS COST ADJUSTMENT CLAUSE

The rates authorized herein are based upon the wholesale cost of gas to B & H Gas as computed using rates of its wholesale supplier currently in effect. In the event there is an increase or decrease in wholesale gas cost, B & H Gas shall file with this Commission the following information within 30 days:

1. A copy of the contract or wholesale supplier notification effecting the change in rate and a statement relative to the effective date of such proposed change.
2. A statement setting out gas sales for the most recent 12 months.
3. A statement setting out the details of gas purchased for the most recent 12 months showing billing from the supplier under the most recent rate and under the proposed supplier rate. The difference between the amounts so determined shall be divided by B & H Gas sales for the most recent 12 months, provided B & H Gas line loss for the same 12 month period does not exceed 5%. If line loss exceeds 5%, the difference shall be divided by allowable sales calculated as (purchases x .95).
4. A signed and dated tariff sheet showing B & H Gas proposed rates for service based on the change in supplier rate. An increase in rates shall not be effective with less than 30 days notice unless a waiver is requested and granted.
5. Such other information as this Commission may request for a proper determination of the purchased gas adjustment.

In the event that B & H Gas receives from its supplier a refund, bill adjustment, or credit of amount paid to such supplier in respect of a prior period, B & H Gas will apply to the Commission within 30 days for authority to make adjustments on the rates charged to its customers under this provision as follows:

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1. The "refundable amount" shall be the amount received by B & H Gas as a refund. Such refundable amount shall be divided by the MCF of gas that B & H Gas estimates it will sell to its customers during the four-month period commencing with the first day of the month following receipt of the refunds, thus determining a "refund factor".
2. Upon Commission approval, B & H Gas will reduce by the refund factor any purchased gas adjustment that would otherwise be applicable during such period.
3. In the event of any large or unusual refunds, B & H Gas may apply to the Commission for the right to depart from the refund procedure herein set forth.

Upon receipt of the required information, the Commission shall review the proposed increase, reduction, or refund and, within 30 days from receipt of the information required, issue its Order setting out the proper revised rates or otherwise acting to investigate or suspend the proposed rates.

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Special Charges

1. A 10 percent penalty shall be applied on all unpaid balances after the 20th of the month. A penalty will not be assessed on penalties already included in the balance due.
2. All customers will be required to pay a deposit prior to the installation of gas service unless other arrangements are made in advance. The deposit will be 2/12 of the customers estimated annual bill.
3. B & H will paint its meters as part of its regular maintenance program. If a customer requests that the meter be painted more frequently or to be painted a specific color the charge will be \$27.10
4. Location of customers service line will be made by the utility pursuant to 807 KAR 5:022, Section 13(8) at no charge, however, customers who request within the subsequent 12 month period to have their lines relocated will be charged \$30 unless good cause exists for requesting the service.
5. A reconnection charge of \$35 shall be paid before service is restored following disconnection for non-payment of bills.
6. A reconnection charge of \$50 will be assessed customers who request disconnection of service and subsequently re-establishes service at the same premise with twelve (12) months.
7. A charge of \$25 will be made upon an applicants request to turn on service for an existing connection.
8. A charge of \$20 will be made if the utility visits a customer's premises to collect a delinquent bill, after a delinquent notice has been received by the customer.

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9. A fee of \$10.25 will be assessed to any customer whose check is returned from the bank for insufficient funds.
10. A fee of \$45 will be charged to change out a meter pursuant to the customer's request provided the meter is tested and found to register no more than 2 percent fast.
11. A charge of \$20 will be made to reread a meter pursuant to the customer's request if the meter is found to have been read accurately. If the meter was misread, this charge will not apply.
12. Move meter at customer's request \$118.00 (N)
The company shall supply gas continuously and without interruption and adopt and shall maintain, subject to the commissions regulations, a standard pressure of 8 oz. as measured at the outlet side of the customer meters.

The above paragraph notwithstanding, B & H shall assume no liability for any damage or loss resulting from inadequate or interrupted supply or from any pressure variation when such conditions are not due to willful fault or neglect on its part.

CUSTOMERS DISCONTINUANCE OF SERVICE

Any customer desiring service discontinued or changed from one address to another shall give the utility three (3) working days' notice in person or in writing, provided such notice does not violate contractual obligations.

Upon request that service be reconnected at any premises subsequent to the initial installation or connection to its service lines, the utility may, subject to subsection (3) of this section, charge the applicant an amount not to exceed the actual average cost as approved by this commission of making such reconnection.

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APPLICATIONS FOR SERVICE

All customers will be required to fill out an application for service prior to installation of service. This application will consist of name of applicant and spouse, address, social security number of applicant and spouse in case of emergency, applicant signature, and date of application. Applicants who give fraudulent information shall be disconnected.

DISCONTINUANCE OF SERVICE

B & H GAS COMPANY INC. will refuse or discontinue to serve an applicant or customer under the following conditions:

For noncompliance with the utility's or commission's rules and regulations. However, the utility shall not discontinue or refuse service to any customer or applicant for violation of its rules or regulations without first having made a reasonable effort to induce the customer or applicant to comply with its rules and regulations as filed with the commission. After such effort on the part of the utility, service may be discontinued or refused only after the customer shall have been given at least ten (10) days written notice of such intention, delivered to an adult member of his or her household or mailed to his or her last known address.

When a dangerous condition is found to exist on the customer's or applicant's premises, the service shall be cut off without notice or refused, provided that the utility notify the customer or applicant immediately of the reasons for the discontinuance or refusal and the corrective action to be taken by the applicant or customer before service can be restored.

When a customer or applicant refuses or neglects to provide reasonable access to the premises for the purpose of installation, operation, meter reading, maintenance or removal of utility property, the utility may discontinue or refuse service only after the customer or applicant shall have been given at least fifteen (15) days' written notice of such intention.

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The utility shall not be required to furnish services to any applicant: When such applicant is indebted to the utility for service furnished until such applicant shall have paid such indebtedness. When a customer or applicant does not comply with state, municipal or other codes, rules and regulations applying to such service.

The utility shall not discontinue service to any customer for nonpayment of bills without first having made a reasonable effort to induce the customer to pay same. The customer shall be given at least ten (10) days' written notice, but the cut-off shall not be effected before twenty-seven (27) days after the mailing date of the original bill. Such termination notice shall be exclusive of local, state, and federal programs providing for the payment of utility bills under certain conditions and of the offices to contact for such possible assistance. If prior to discontinuance of service, there is delivered to the utility office, payment of the amount in arrears, then discontinuance of service shall not be made, or where a written certificate is filed signed by a physician, a registered nurse or a public health officer stating that, in the opinion of the person making the certification discontinuance of service will aggravate an existing illness or infirmity on the affected premises, service shall not be discontinued until the affected resident can make other living arrangements or until thirty (30) days elapse from the time of the utility's notification to the customer in writing of the existence of local, state and federal programs, providing for the payment of utility bills under certain conditions and of the offices to contact for such possible assistance. Service shall not be discontinued when the customer and the utility have reached agreement on a partial payment plan and the customer is meeting the requirements of the plan.

EMPLOYEE AVAILABILITY

An employee shall be available to answer consumer questions and negotiate partial payment plan.

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An employee shall be available to answer questions regarding a customer's bill and to resolve disputes over the amount of such bill. The designated employee shall be authorized to negotiate partial payment plans of an outstanding bill and accept payments where the customer has shown good faith in attempting to meet his or her financial obligations to the utility.

At least one employee shall be available to answer consumer questions and negotiate partial payment plans at the utility's office during established office hours (9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. closing for lunch 12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.).

CERTIFICATE OF NEED

Federal and statewide energy assistance programs are administered by the Kentucky Cabinet for Human Resources, Department for Social Insurance. Upon written certification from the Department for Social Insurance, issued at one (1) of its offices or the office of its designee, a customer who is eligible for energy assistance under the Department's financial need, defined as any household with gross income at or below 130 percent of the poverty level, and who has been issued a ten (10) day notice between December 1 and March 1 for nonpayment of a gas bill and who presents such notice to the Department for Social Insurance or its designee, shall be allowed thirty (30) days in addition to such ten (10) day period in which to negotiate a partial payment plan with the utility provided such certification is delivered to the utility during the initial ten (10) day notice period by the applicant in person, by his or her agent, by mail, or by a telephone call from an employee of the Department for Social Insurance or its designee. The thirty (30) day period shall begin to run at the end of the tenth day of the ten (10) day period. When the customer exhibits good faith by offering to make a present payment commensurate with his or her ability to do so and by agreeing to a repayment schedule which would permit the customer to become current in payment of his or her gas bill as soon as possible but not later than October 15, the utility shall accept such partial payment plan.

BUDGET PAYMENT PLAN

A budget plan shall be available by which a customer may elect to pay a fixed amount each month on a yearly basis in lieu of monthly billings based on actual

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usage. The provisions of this section relate to partial payments and budget plans that shall apply primarily to a utility's residential customers. It shall be the responsibility of the utility to disseminate information to its customers regarding the availability of such budget payment plan.

FRAUDULENT OR ILLEGAL USE OF SERVICE

When the utility has discovered evidence that by fraudulent or illegal means a customer has obtained unauthorized service or has diverted the service for unauthorized use or has obtained service without same being properly measured, the service to the customer may be discontinued without notice. The utility shall not be required to restore service until the customer has complied with all rules of the utility and regulations of the commission and the utility has been reimbursed for the estimated amount of the service rendered and the cost to the utility incurred by reason of the fraudulent use.

ACCESS TO PROPERTY

The utility shall at all reasonable hours have access to meters, service connections and other property owned by it and located on customer's premises for purpose of installation, maintenance, meter reading, operation or removal of its property at the time service is to be terminated. Any employee of the utility whose duties require him or her to enter the customer's premises shall have identification which will identify him as an employee of the utility, the same to be shown by him or her upon request.

PROPERTY DAMAGE

Any customer and/or person who causes damage to the property of this utility shall pay for all damages, repairs, and any other cost incurred as a result of the damages.

LENGTH OF SERVICE

All customers must guarantee service for one year from the date of their application for service.

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